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Amendments to the Specification:

The paragraph beginning at Page 1, lines 6-38, to be amended as follows:

Various methods, systems and apparatus relating to the present invention are disclosed in the following co-pending applications filed by the applicant or assignee of the present invention simultaneously with the present application on June 30, 2000:

09/609,132NPA014US,	09/608,970NPA015US,	09/609,039NPA022US,
NPA023US,	09/663,579NPA024US,	09/663,599NPA025US,
09/607,852NPA026US,	NPA037US,	09/607,656NPA038US,
09/609,132NPA041US,		
09/663,701NPA047US,	09/663,640NPA049US,	09/609,303NPA050US,
09/610,095NPA051US,	09/609,596NPA052US,	09/693,705NPA053US,
09/607,843NPA063US,	09/607,605NPA065US,	09/608,178NPA067US,
09/609,553NPA068US,	09/609,233NPA069US,	09/609,149NPA071US,
09/608,022NPA072US,	09/609,232NPP003US,	09/607,844NPP004US,
6,457,883NPP005US,	09/608,920NPP019US,	09/607,985PEC04US,
6,398,332PEC05US,	6,394,573PEC06US,	09/606,999PEC07US

The disclosures of these co-pending applications are incorporated herein by reference.

Various methods, systems and apparatus relating to the present invention are disclosed in the following co-pending applications filed by the applicant or assignee of the present invention on 23 May 2000:

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09/575,197 (NPA001US),	09/575,195 (NPA002US),	09/575,159 (NPA004US),
09/575,132 (NPA005US),	09/575,123 (NPA006US),	09/575,148 (NPA007US),
09/575,130 (NPA008US),	09/575,165 (NPA009US),	09/575,153 (NPA010US),
09/575,118 (NPA012US),	09/575,131 (NPA016US),	09/575,116 (NPA017US),
09/575,144 (NPA018US),	09/575,139 (NPA019US),	09/575,186 (NPA020US),
09/575,185 (NPA021US),	09/575,191 (NPA030US),	09/575,145 (NPA035US),
09/575,192 (NPA048US),	09/609,303 (NPA050US),	09/610,095 (NPA051US),
09/609,596 (NPA052US),	09/575,181 (NPA075US),	09/575,193 (NPP001US),
09/575,156 (NPP002US),	09/575,183 (NPK002US),	09/575,160 (NPK003US),
09/575,150 (NPK004US),	09/575,169 (NPK005US),	(NPK007US),
09/575,184 (NPM001US),	6,502,614 (NPM002US),	09/575,180 (NPM003US),
09/575,149 (NPM004US),	6,549,935 (NPN001US),	(NPN002US),
(NPN003US),	09/575,187 (NPP001US),	(NPP002US),
09/575,155 (NPP003US),	6,591,884 (NPP005US),	6,439,706 (NPP006US),
09/575,196 (NPP007US),	09/575,198 (NPP008US),	09/575,178 (NPP016US),
6,428,155 (NPP017US),	09/575,146 (NPP018US),	09/608,920 (NPP019US),

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09/575.174 (NPS001US), 09/575.163 (NPS003US), 09/575.168 (NPS020US),
09/575.154 (NPT001US), 09/575.129 (NPT002US), 09/575.124 (NPT003US),
09/575.188 (NPT004US), 09/575.189 (NPX001US), 09/575.162 (NPX003US),
09/575.172 (NPX008US), 09/575.170 (NPX011US), 09/575.171 (NPX014US),
09/575.161 (NPX016US), — (NPX020US), 10/291.716 (NPX022US),
6.428.133 (IJ52US), 6.527.365 (IJM52US), 6.315.399 (MJ10US),
6.338.548 (MJ11US), 6.540.319 (MJ12US), 6.328.431 (MJ13US),
6.328.425 (MJ14US), 09/575.127 (MJ15US), 6.383.833 (MJ34US),
6.464.332 (MJ47US), 6.390.591 (MJ58US), 09/575.152 (MJ62US),
6.328.417 (MJ63US), 6.409.323 (PAK04US), 6.281.912 (PAK05US),
6.604.810 (PAK06US), 6.318.920 (PAK07US), 6.488.422 (PAK08US),
09/575.108 (PEC01US), 09/575.109 (PEC02US), 09/575.110 (PEC03US)

The disclosures of these co-pending applications are incorporated herein by reference.